

SMASHES BREAK DOWN; FRENCH COUNTER HARD

Battle For Paris Sways Back and Forth With Allies Less Hard Pressed

NEW YORK, June 3.—(Associated Press)—Except at a single point the German offensive was yesterday held in complete check and at several points the foe was thrown back from positions previously taken. The strength of General Foch's reserves, which in part at least have been thrown into the great conflict, has been felt in the battle for Paris as the present stage of the German supreme offensive is called. It has become clearly evident that Paris is the coveted objective of the Huns.

Not only was the foe generally held out by terrific smashes, the French succeeded in recapturing four towns on the center of the line leading to Villers Cotterets Forest which seems to be the enemy's immediate objective.

Nowhere did the invaders yesterday attempt to cross the Marne. Failing to conquer Rheims by direct attack it now seems to be the purpose of the Germans to try an outflanking movement in the hope of a success which would compel the garrison in the battered city to capitulate.

SITUATION APPEARS IMPROVED

In summing up the situation it can be said that the seventh day has found the Allies less hard pressed than previously and, seemingly, more capable of a strong and successful resistance.

Raids in the Arras, Lens and Bethune sectors were successfully conducted by the British yesterday, was the report from London while the Paris day official communiqué said that the French had smashed repeated German attacks of the greatest violence.

IN SOISSONS SALIENT

Heavy hand to hand fighting on the northwest of Soissons and directed against the eastern side of what is now known as the Soissons salient, is reported. While this is part of the present "Battle for Paris," as it is directed towards squeezing out the Soissons salient, it is actually on the extreme eastern side of the new front established by the Germans in April. The fighting centered against the French positions on the high ground known as the Mont de Choisy, near the junction of the Oise and the Aisne.

TERRIFIC ASSAULTS REPULSED

It was at Mont de Choisy where the French experienced the heaviest assaults of the Huns. Four times the forces of the crown prince rolled wavelike against this position and three times they were thrown back. On the fourth effort the town was taken but the French came back with a tremendous counter and, bayoneting as they came, drove forth the foe. Attempts by the crown prince to again take the town failed and at night fall the French held the positions that had been theirs in the morning and for which they had battled throughout the day.

MUCH GROUND REGAINED

On the western side of the salient south of Soissons, where the German front is closest to Paris, in the Ourcq valley, the French have regained ground along a front of eight miles and held the rest of the line against German attempts to advance. The gains were made from Troesnes, on the north bank of the Ourcq, northeast to Longpont, including the recapture of both those villages and the town of Corcy and Favorles as well.

ONE TEUTON GAIN ADMITTED

On the Marne the Germans succeeded in reaching the heights to the West of Chateau Thierry. The French, however, still hold a part of the town and the left banks. The ground given here was only surrendered after fighting of the most violent character. This attack came from a new direction and it was at this point that the Germans won the only success which the Allies admit.

STRONG COUNTER ATTACK

Along the Dormans-Rheims road, southwest of Rheims and along the eastern side of the salient, the French executed a great counter attack on Saturday night. West of Neuilly St. Front, a town to the south of the Ourcq where the Germans had been held further east than north of the river, considerable ground was gained. Hill 163 was retaken, the village of Champlat was recaptured and near Villanter and Dols other ground was gained.

CLAIMS FROM BERLIN

Capture of an enormously extensive Franco-American depot was claimed in the German official report issued last night in Berlin. Its location was not mentioned in the despatches. This report also said that headquarters reported the capture of heights east of Moulmoulin, the Lovent lines to the West of Lovron, in the Soissons sector and the repulse of violent British counters on the banks of the Aisne and in the Vermin region.

It is reported in the Lokal Anzeiger that the kaiser and von Hindenburg together visited the battle front at Craonne on Tuesday.

AIR RAIDS STRIKE TERROR TO GERMANS

British Aviators Cross Rhine and Drop Twenty Tons of Explosives in Journey

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Official Press)—Residents of several German cities are in a state of terror because of the raids of the British air forces on Saturday night. The reports which have been received by the state department.

When British airplanes crossed the Rhine Saturday, in addition to bombing bridges they dropped twenty tons of explosives, causing considerable damage and bringing terror to the citizens of the cities and towns visited. Hun air craft which sought to check them suffered severely and twenty of these were destroyed.

CITED FOR BRAVERY

AMERICAN FRONT, June 3.—(Associated Press)—Thirty-eight officers and men have been cited for bravery in the divisional orders of yesterday.

TWENTY-FOUR LOST AS TRANSPORT SINKS

Authentic List Not Yet Available Admiral Sims Cables

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Associated Press)—Twenty-four officers and men are estimated losses that resulted from the torpedoing of the transport President Lincoln which was sunk by a foe submarine when it was on a return voyage to this country.

Admiral Sims cables that he believes four officers and twenty enlisted men of the army were lost with the President Lincoln. He has not indicated the rank or the branch of the service to which they belonged and says that no authentic list of the missing is available at this time.

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German Aviators Indulge In Moonlight Joyride

LONDON, June 3.—(Associated Press)—Several British Red Cross hospitals were heavily bombed by Hun aviators on Friday night when the aviators were able to take advantage of the beautiful moonlight, is the report which has come from headquarters in France. The casualties were considerable, the report adds. These hospitals are the same group that suffered from a Hun night raid on May 19.

MORE AMERICANS GO TO BATTLE FRONT

Locations, Forces and Numbers Are Not Announced; Camouflage Is Easily Held

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Official Press)—Further effects on the part of the Germans to retake Cantigny meet with repulse by the American troops who held the town yesterday, is the report contained in the communiqué of General Pershing. On other American sectors the day was quiet.

The Woeyre raid on Friday was conducted by American volunteer troops. In its course they destroyed thirty-two of the enemy dugouts and a number of bridges as well.

Pershing also announced the war department permit the news to be given that new American forces have reached the main battle front in France but the location of these troops, their general position and the numbers are not as yet disclosed.

BITTER AIR FIGHT ON AMERICAN FRONT

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Associated Press)—A bitterly fought air engagement fought yesterday between four American battle planes and six of the enemy one of the enemy's biplanes was destroyed and an American aviator was forced to land within the German lines.

Aviator Carter of Covington, Kentucky, and another American aviator, lost their lives as the result of a collision, it is reported from Paris. This fatal accident occurred on the first day of the new German offensive.

Casualties as reported by the war department yesterday gave lists of sixteen killed in action, eleven dead of wounds, three killed in accidents and four dead of disease. Thirteen suffered wounds of a degree of severity which had not been determined, twenty-nine were severely wounded, five slightly and four were reported missing.

SEVENTY MILLIONS OVER-SUBSCRIBED IN RED CROSS DRIVE

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Official Press)—Subscriptions secured in the second Red Cross drive have gone far ahead of the hundred millions that was asked. It is now estimated that the over-subscriptions will be in excess of seventy millions of dollars.

This is indicated by the reports so far as they have been received and completed. The total is not absolutely complete but Red Cross heads are confident the total will reach and probably exceed \$170,000,000.

BANK TO PAY INTEREST UPON RUSSIAN BONDS

NEW YORK, June 3.—(Official Press)—Payment of interest on the Russian bonds upon which interest was defaulted, so far as such bonds were floated by credit, was made by the National City Bank of New York. That institution announces that it will pay the same interest as is provided in the bonds, five and a half percent on \$25,000,000 of the issue.

AMERICAN CHINESE IS LAWYER IN CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—(Official Press)—Chun Chung Woon has passed a bar examination with a high mark and has been admitted to practice law. He is the first Chinese American to be admitted to the bar of California. He holds several big banks in the Chinese business section of the city. He was recently married to the daughter of Sun Song Fong, a Chinese merchant of prominence here.

CHINESE INVESTIGATE AMERICAN EDUCATION

NEW YORK, June 3.—(Official Press)—Fan Yuen Hsin formerly Chinese minister of education and Yen Sui, vice-minister of education have arrived here with a view of making a thorough investigation of American educational methods, especially as they concern the public school systems.

POLISH LEGION IS TO JOIN ALLIES TOMORROW

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Associated Press)—A Polish legion composed of 15,000 men, all recruited in the United States, will take its place with the Allied forces on the Western Front tomorrow, according to advices which were received here yesterday.

WILL ACHIEVE THAT WHICH KAISER SAID IS IMPOSSIBILITY

Shipbuilding Feats on Pacific Coast Show American Enterprise Excels Hun's

INDEPENDENCE DAY IS SELECTED FOR FEATS

Eighty Thousand Tons of Shipping Will Leave Ways in One City in Single Day

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—(Official Press)—What the kaiser said was an impossibility it is the aim of one of the largest Pacific Coast shipyards to accomplish. That yard plans to complete an 11,500-ton steel freight steamer in a month and a half. Its launching is promised for July 4 with three other vessels of the same size and general type to make a launching of a total of 47,200 tons on Independence Day.

This will be a world's record in shipbuilding and C. M. Schwab, the government shipbuilding chief, is coming to witness it.

Another Pacific Coast yard, the one which recently established a record by launching three 3,000-ton steamers on the same day, will launch three similar ships on Independence Day. A third ship yard will launch a 5,000-ton vessel on the same day which will make the total in this one port for a single day 50,000 tons while other yards along the Pacific Coast.

A special daily passenger train will be started tomorrow morning to carry the workers to and from another ship yard which will add a thousand employees to its payroll.

Records are reported to have estimated that there are now 700,000 men engaged in ship building in the United States.

A telegram from a Texas ship yard gives news heretofore not reported and tells of the launching of its third large vessel in a period of three weeks. This yard is one of a number that is just attaining speed production.

TRANSPORT GUARDED WELL BY DESTROYER

Two Submarines Sought To Send American Soldiers To Bottom and Are Thwarted

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Official Press)—Further details of the sinking of two foe submarines within half an hour, reported yesterday from an Atlantic port, were made public today.

The vessel reaching port here, and which the American destroyer was conveying when it performed its feat, was a transport, carrying United States troops to Europe.

Sighting the submarine it succeeded in dropping depth bombs upon and near the spot where the periscope had been sighted a moment before. Debris and oil which rose to the surface showed the success of the hit and the destruction of the enemy.

As the destroyer was returning to its own port, the periscope of a second submarine was seen. Again depth bombs were thrown in the direction where it appeared and again the surface of the ocean was soon showing debris and oil, showing a hit on the second submarine.

THOUSANDS SEEK TO GET AHEAD OF DRAFT

Young Men Want To Volunteer Before Registration Day

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Official Press)—A special training in technical military work, 24,674 young men of grammar school education are soon to be called, it is announced from the office of the provost marshal general.

Young men who have attained the age of twenty-one years since last June are rushing to volunteer. It is their desire to voluntarily join the army before Wednesday when they would be required to register under the amendment to the Selective Draft Law. It is expected that a million will then be registered. Several of the larger cities have reported that they are unable to examine all of the thousands who are striving to "beat the draft" and volunteer at once.

Secretary Baker has announced that there will soon be assembled 15,000 men at one of the southern aviation fields.

"REGULAR MEALS" ARE FAVORED BY HOOVER

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Official Press)—Service of "regular meals" instead of a la carte service in the hotels and restaurants is advocated and urged by the food administration. It is asserted that present methods result in a considerable loss.

Reduction of various hotel means by from fifty to a hundred dishes has been undertaken by the food administration. This is suggested with a view to making it possible to increase shipments of certain food stuffs over seas.

INAUGURATION IS DELAYED BY DUKE

McCarthy Steps Aside So Cousin of King Can Be Entertained By Pinkham

One of the reasons why the date of the inauguration of Governor-designate McCarthy has been deferred until Saturday, June 22 grows out of the visit to Honolulu this week of the Prince of Connaught, who is a cousin of King George and son of the Duke of Connaught, former Governor-General of Canada.

The visit of the Prince of Connaught with his party and a number of things connected with the forthcoming visit of Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Clegg, to Honolulu, made it expedient to defer the date and fix it at June twenty-second," said Governor McCarthy yesterday.

Anticipating Connaught's visit here for a day, Washington recently cabled instructions to the Governor asking him to provide for the entertainment of the British royal party. Several days ago another message was received by Delegate J. K. Kahanamoku designating the Delegate, Senator Robert W. Shurtleff, and the Governor a committee to make arrangements for the visit of Secretary Lane and the party from the national capital.

The message to the Delegate came from Assistant Secretary of the Interior, Bradley, who is with the Lane party, and it is assumed that he was acting on instructions from Washington. Though the message to Delegate Kahanamoku did not say specifically that Governor Pinkham was meant by the words "the Governor" in the message, Colonel McCarthy said yesterday he felt that Governor Pinkham was indicated.

By reason of these circumstances Colonel McCarthy said yesterday that he was wholly willing to postpone his inauguration until three days before the date of departure of the Washington party.

TO LEAVE MAUI

It is due altogether to interrupted transportation facilities on the mainland that Hawaii suffers the misfortune of not having Colonel McCarthy as Governor today, for if the mail from Washington had not been delayed and so missed a boat, the Governor's commission would have reached Honolulu by May 19 and if that had happened the inauguration would have taken place a few days later while the legislature was still in session.

Colonel McCarthy received his commission Saturday morning. The document bears the date May 4, and was calculated was placed in the mail May 8, which should have brought it to Honolulu by May 19.

The commission fixes no date on which the Governor is to go into office, but directs that he shall hold office for four years beginning with the day he assumes his duties as Governor.

TO RECEIVE PRINCE

Plans for the entertainment of the British royal party for the day the members will spend in Honolulu have not yet been announced. It is understood that a cavalry escort, probably with other military units, will meet the vessel on which the party arrives and escort the members either to the Capital or some other place where the Prince of Connaught will be formally received.

On its way west the British party stopped in Washington on May twenty-fifth and paid its respects to President Wilson. With the prince, according to press dispatches, are the Earl of Bessborough and Montgomery, Lieutenant General Sir William Pountney, Capt. Josh St. Clair and Capt. F. Batt.

The British party is on its way to Japan on a mission connected with the war. The Prince of Connaught is bearing a British field marshal's baton which he will present to the Emperor of Japan.

Delegate Kahanamoku, Senator Shurtleff and the Governor, named to provide for the entertainment of Secretary Lane and his party, have not yet formulated any plan in connection with the visit of the Washington party. As the secretary will be here for almost three weeks it is understood that besides a series of meetings, receptions and affairs in Honolulu, a tour of the Islands will be arranged.

The climax of the secretary's visit will be the inauguration of the new Governor on Saturday, the twenty-second. The ceremony will take place on the main steps of the Capitol Building and the oath of office will be administered by Chief Justice James C. Cole of the supreme court. Governor McCarthy has said that his inaugural address will carry an outline of the policies that he will follow stated briefly.

STATUE TO PROVIDE BULLETS FOR OUR BOYS

WASHINGTON, May 16.—A resolution proposing that the statue of Frederick the Great, recently removed from the war college grounds, be melted up and converted into munitions of war, was introduced today by Senator Gallinger, Republican leader. It would have the senate military committee make plans for disposal of the statue.

ZEPPELIN DESTROYED AND CREW IS DROWNED

COPENHAGEN, June 3.—(Associated Press)—A huge German Zeppelin was destroyed by a British torpedo boat destroyer off the Jutland coast on Saturday. The news was brought here by incoming fishermen that saw the on-coming between the destroyer and the huge warship of the air. The Zeppelin was brought down and its entire crew was drowned.

PANQUET PAGANT ARRANGED FOR LANE

Representatives of All Pacific Races Resident in Hawaii To Participate in Entertainment

The different committees for the Pacific races are already busy working out the details of the Pan-Pacific entertainment to Secretary Franklin K. Lane; and it has been decided to reserve space at the big banquet for 300 representatives of Pacific peoples, and two hundred seats for Honolulu club members. There will be a table for each race, as well as a table for the chamber of commerce and each Pacific nation having such an organization here, besides tables for representatives from each of the clubs.

The banquet will be served in the great dining hall of the Mid-Pacific Institute, from the windows of which may be viewed the site of the proposed Pan-Pacific Commercial College buildings.

A committee from the Pan-Pacific Association went over the grounds and buildings yesterday, and it was definitely decided to make use of the Mid-Pacific Institute for both the banquet and banquet, as in case of rain, the guests may be given indoors, marching down the great corridors that lead to the main lateral entrance.

If the weather is fair, it is hoped that Mr. Lane may address those in the banquet, and the spectators, from the balcony prior to the march into the banquet hall.

In Hawaii, where all races mingle in friendly fellowship, Mr. Lane will receive the Filipino flag, which is flown here with pride and hope, yet prescribed in the Philippines; as he will also be presented with the flag of Chosen, which no longer flies in Korea; but then the state flag of California with its bear emblem, and the territorial flag of Hawaii, will also have places in the pageant, as representing parts of America—the Hawaiian flag now represents a portion of Japan, and the Filipino flag a colony of the United States.

Just what form of flag will represent Siberia hasn't yet been decided by the Russian colony, but probably the Old Russian flag will serve. Both the Malay flag and the British protectorate flag will be carried in the procession, as will be the Australian Commonwealth flag, surrounded by the different state flags.

China's flag of the republic will be a feature, and if there are provincial Chinese flags, they will probably be in line, as the Pan-Pacific Pageant is for all who desire to work together, with friendship toward all and enmity toward none.

The Chinese and Japanese committees will both hold meetings today, and there will be a gathering of the delegates at the Friday luncheon at the Young Hotel to compare notes and conclude arrangements, subject to the approval of Mr. Lane upon his arrival.

Three Autos Crash Together At "Calamity Corner"

All Are Badly Smashed Up In Terrific Crash; Baby Is Slightly Injured When Hurled Over Tonnetau

Three automobiles came to grief last night about eight o'clock at the junction of Beretania and Keeaumoku streets, resulting in the wrecking of all the machines, but with no loss of life and slight injuries received only by a baby which was riding in the front seat of a Studebaker. By a freak of fortune the impact of the machines threw the infant from his seat over the tonnetau until it lay in the two extra tires clamped to the rear of the auto. It escaped with a slight hurt to one ankle.

A Buick six machine, said to be owned by a sailor from the naval station, was reported to the police to have been driven down Beretania street at a high rate of speed. At the junction it crashed into a Studebaker roadster, driven by an army officer, and it was this machine which carried the infant. At the same instant "Scotty" Schumann, driving a Franklin, entered the general melee. The front end caved in, the fenders were bent and it was later towed to Schumann's garage in a thoroughly disabled condition. The Buick was towed to Frank Combs' shop, while the Studebaker, completely out of commission, was left at the side of the street during a portion of the night.

So many accidents have occurred at this junction that it has been called "Calamity Corner."

PRINCESS NOT COMING

Word was received yesterday from the Coast by Mrs. Walter Macfarlane that Princess Abigail Kawanakakoa would not return to Honolulu at the present time, as she had intended to do, by reason of transportation difficulties. Princess Abigail went to California about two months ago and as she was expected back about the middle of June a number of social affairs were being arranged to welcome her.

The message to Mrs. Macfarlane did not indicate when the princess planned to leave for home.

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RUSSIA DISCOVERS GREAT PLOTS FOR COUNTER REVOLTS

Bread Shortage Is Used To Advantage In Arguments Against Soviet Government

MOSCOW DECLARED TO BE IN STATE OF SIEGE

Arrests Are Made By Scores and Grave Alarm For Outcome Felt By Bolsheviks

LONDON, June 3.—(Associated Press)—Counter revolutionary plots on such an extensive scale that they stretch over the whole of Russia are reported from both Moscow and Petrograd. So important is the discovery that the soviet government has declared Moscow to be in a state of siege.

As a part of this plot the soviet government attributed the mutiny of Czechoslovak troops that have seized several important railroad junctions and lines, a Russian wireless message reports.

Following the discovery of the extent of the plot for a counter revolution, action was quickly taken by the government. At the outset Moscow was declared to be in a state of siege and martial law put in operation. Then arrests followed fast and in large numbers in all parts of the soviet republic. Scores were arrested in Moscow, large numbers in Petrograd and throughout the country the same course was pursued.

The failure of the bread supply is the dominating issue of which the counter revolutionists have taken full advantage. They have issued a statement in which they assert that large owners of food stuffs are concealing their supplies and through these statements the counter revolutionists are inciting the starving masses against the soviet government.

MAY SEEK TO COMPETE IN MENTHOL MAKING

WASHINGTON, June 3.—(Associated Press)—The feasibility of beginning the culture of black mint in this country, for the production of menthol crystals and oil, is the subject of a special report by Vice Consul E. R. Diekover, of Kobe, Japan, as the result of inquiries from the United States.

Several attempts to import black mint plants have been frustrated by the long journey across the Pacific, during which the plants died. Once an arrangement was made with a steamer purser to care for the plants and they arrived in good condition, but were killed by disinfection in entering the country. The consulate now is attempting to obtain mint seeds, a difficult task since the plant is cultivated almost entirely from slips.

Two widely different climatic areas are devoted to the cultivation of mint in Japan, one extending to the northern Pacific coast of the United States and to Virginia and North Carolina. About 92 percent of the Japanese mint is grown on the Hokkaido island, where the average winter temperature is 22 degrees and the summer temperature 60 degrees, with rainfall of 38 inches. The remaining eight percent of the Japanese crop is grown on Nippon, where the average temperatures are 38 and 53 degrees and the rainfall 42.5 inches.

The mint plant requires a light, well drained soil. The mint is planted at the end of November. The plant attains full growth during the summer months and is cut in late July, during August and in early September, the third cutting yielding the greatest percentage of oil and menthol crystals.

Steaming and pressing in barrels prepares the leaves for the factories, where the oil is extracted by a process of freezing and pressing.

LOS ANGELES MAN IN SELECTIVE DRAFT NET

Acting under instructions of the draft officials, Detective A. E. Carter apprehended A. Olson of Los Angeles on Saturday and took him before the selective draft officer, for examination. After the examining on Olson was turned over to the chief of staff of the Hawaiian Department to be inducted into the military service.

Induction into the military service of a draft inductee instead of being forced to stand trial in a federal court is provided for in the selective draft act.

Arrangements had been made for the sending of Olson back to the mainland on the last government transport, but after this arrangement had been made by Capt. Richard Bolton of the transportation bureau of the military master corps Olson failed to board the vessel, Detective Carter says.

Detective Carter said he did not know whether Olson had been drafted in Los Angeles or whether he had voluntarily joined the army.

Olson until a few days ago was employed by the Audit Company of Hawaii. Carter says, and was living at the Auditor Hotel on Maunaloa street, when located.